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Director of Intelligence, War Department General Staff, The Pentagon,  
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To: Director of Central Intelligence, New War Department Building,  
Washington, D. C.

1. In realization that the continuation of the Washington Document Center is highly desirable, a letter, subject: Transfer of Washington Document Center, was forwarded to your office on 1 October 1946. In this letter both the Intelligence Division and the Office of Naval Intelligence jointly proposed that the Central Intelligence Group take over the functions and activities of this Center.

2. In order to assure temporary continuation of this activity until transfer to Central Intelligence Group is accomplished, the present strength of military personnel now authorized for Washington Document Center will be retained until 1 December 1946. Transfer to Central Intelligence Group of those War Department Civil Service personnel now employed at the Washington Document Center has been approved by the War Department.

3. In reference to par. 3, above memorandum, the Intelligence Division will, upon notification from your office, furnish necessary representation to any meeting designed to solve those administrative matters essential to the transfer of this Center to Central Intelligence Group.

  
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Director of Intelligence

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